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## FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Two-year-old Durham Tel. Orleans 113-4. 16-17 FOR SALE-Two registered Holstein bulls. A. S. Gilmour. 1wp

FOR SALE-Two-horse lumber waron \$65. H. T. Seaver, Barton, 1w FOR SALE-Loose hay and baled

SAF Slabs, stove length, 15-17

FIR SALE-White Plymouth

k less for hatching, 15 for \$1.00 W Barron, Barton, Vt. 17tf FOR SALE-168-acre dairy farm

state road, running water, fully upped. Wood and timber. H. J. 17-18 FOR SALE-Cottage and lots,

war as the Bailey store in the white past week. inh grove at Willoughby lake. Fine est at J. H. Labor, Barton. 16-17p with friends in Montreal. FOR SALE-My house in Barton

rirden. \$1800. Inquire of C. S. Web-17tf FOR SALE-New modern house, 8

electric lights. Land enough for large recently. meden or house lots. Mrs. Flossie P. uddard. Orleans. 16-18

FOR SALE—Several all-sized farms for sale at low prices. Easy dinville. Tel. 308.

FOR CHEAP SALE-One fourdisc haralors, one new farm wagon Ashland, N. H. er small tools. M. Freehart, 17tf

ARM FOR SALE-Home farm. market situated on state road good markets, very productive. buildings, running water. G. N. on, St. Johnsbury, R. F. D. No.

FOR SALE-Five-year-old mare, to drive or work, weight 950. has kitchen range and Stewart Parma stove. B. J. Jenness, Barton. Mrs. O. D. Rowell. 16-17p

FOR SALE-Hatching eggs from Wanter layers of S. C. Black Minus settings of 15 for \$1.50. Limnumber of Red-faced Spanish, M per setting of 15, delivered par- Willoughby last week. post, L. R. Brown, Albany, 1wp

FOR SALE-the late William S. farm containing about 90 sunshine since Monday. ares of good land with buildings, % se estate. Fred Benware, Iras- week, calling on friends. 11tf

FOR SALE-One bull calf, six months old, registered Holstein, also Me brown mare five years old, weighat about 1200, sound and kind. Geo. Amg. Orleans. Tel. 121-11. 15-7p

FOR SALE-50-acre farm joining 1918. Monitor Office. the pond. Keeps 8 cows and horse. ings in good condition. House, on state road. Ernest Leonard, Barton.

14-17p with all kinds of tools and ma- Main street, Barton. Tel. 24-11. 5tf mery. Keeps 45 head of stock, sugar trees all rigged. Quantities A. H. Rich, Glover. 17-19p

## MISCELLANEOUS

Cash waiting for your maple sug- bury, R. F D The top price guaranteed up to ist. Ray P. Webster, Barton. 14tf

SURANCE-Best stock and mu- Orleans. Companies. Surety bonds. Baldwin, Agent, Barton. 26tf CE-Having bought out B. am ready to handle all kinds

of sawdust at the Gray mill

FOR HATCHING-Fine Rocks mated with male pedifrom trapnested 218-270 egg \$125 for 13. R. A. Hamil-12-18p

NOTICE-The Chase Bros. Nurs-Nock has been shipped and will

ARMERS' NOTICE-Will buy ment. every Monday from now on. Aled stock to turn out May 1st. tows, new milch or nearby

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING Barton Auto Exchange to Do Large

The Barton Auto Exchange is the dernisements will be inserted under this name of a new concern in town which promises to become the leading automospherically the order. No advertisebe inserted for less than twenty-five of the county and one of the largest in the entire county.

The name "Auto Exchange" must not be construed as meaning necessarily an exchange mart for automobiles because the concern will handle several lines of leading cars including the Chevrolet and Dort. Orders for nearly 50 Chevrolets have already been placed and a carload of Dorts are expected in this week.

The line will include the Four-Ninety, the Baby Grand, the Chevrolet-Eight, Chevrolet trucks and closed cars. Prices, size, weight and FIRM. C. M. Borland, West Glover. style requirements of all can be found in the line. Headquarters of the SALE-Good baled hay. H. the Peerless factory formerly occu- the start by not having received the War- L Barton, Tel. Orleans 128- pied by the Crystal Lake livery. Alterations will be made and the place out into first class shape.

Besides the Chevrolet cars a com-J. A. Bates, Orleans. plete line of Chevrolet parts will be named. carried. The agency for these cars, Albany, A. C. Cheney..... \$ 11,850 here is humber for sale, 1 in, 11/2 agency but sub-agents will be ap- Brownington, George Hunt. 10,200 thick E. W. Barron, Bar- pointed in the north end of the county and the agency for other cars is expected to be taken on by this con-

> Ray P. Webster is proprietor of this new concern and Fred J. Jarvis will be manager. The men behind this Holland, A. R. Hall ..... concern assure its success. 888

# BARTON LOCAL NOTES

C. P. Jenness has been sick for the

Miss Fannie May spent Easter Mrs. H. T. Seaver is in Boston and

lage, including barn and large New York for several days' visit. Amory D. Seaver is in Boston and ter. C. B. Webster, Springfield, vicinity on a business and pleasure

Mrs. A. P. Underwood entertained toons, a bathroom, furnace heat, and her mother, Mrs. Coe, of West Burke

meet with Mrs. F. D. Pierce Thursday

three if sold at once. Dr I. Grapes, ibel Sheldon visited friends in New-15-17 port last week.

> eave soon for their new home in Mrs. W. Mosher and Mrs. Alton Marsh visited friends in Sutton the

last of the week. Mrs. F. W. Hardy of Orleans was the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W.

Goodro Saturday. The ice has gone out of Crystal 17-20 lake, having entirely disappeared Monday morning.

Miss M. Hall of St. Johnsbury is spending a few days with her cousin,

spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Eva McDonald.

Ernest Kimball injured his hand quite seriously at the bobbin mill at

The cool, cloudy weather of the past ten days has given way to bright

Mrs. Flora Plunkett of Springfield the from East Albany. Must sell to Mass., was in town the first of the

## WANTED

Elrick, WANTED-Live poultry.

WANTED-One Monitor of Jan. 2,

WANTED-To buy singing canary. touse, two barns. Four miles to State age and price. Address Box B,

WANTED-Calf skins, 5 to 7 lbs., FOR SALE-280-acre farm equip- \$2.10; 7 to 9 lbs., \$2.35. E. Sockol.

WANTED-by May 15th, woman wood lumber and pulp, never fail- to do housework in family of three,

Water, good buildings, electric one not rooming in the house. Mrs. 17tf G. A. Drew, Water St. 12 or 15 cows, or work by year on a

farm. D. A. Boardman, No. Crafts-17-18p WANTED-Live poultry and fresh

eggs at Orleans express station next Monday. E. S. Kelley, Tel. 123-13,

for fruit and ornamental trees, roses, E. Sisco's. shrubs, etc. Part or full time. Per-Telephone 56-3. I. Solomon, C. W. Stuart & Co., Newark, New 43tf York state.

WANTED-Beginning April 28th Now is the time for will take stock every Monday. Highwhile the mill is est price paid for maple sugar and bard house on Hubbard hill and Llewwool any day in week. Have an or- ellyn Ray will move into the house der for several cars of dry cows and vacated by Mr. Jarvis, which place young cattle to turn out. W. E. Han- Mr. Ray has bought. son, Barton.

# TO RENT

To ken been shipped and will TO KEN1-First case and pantry, Lincoln avenue, 6 rooms and pantry, Lincoln avenue, 6 rooms and pantry, flush closet, two large closets, large veranda, large woodshed in base-Garden, storm windows, 12 tf screens. H. C. Gay.

LOAN GOING STRONG

Orleans, Irasburg, Morgan, Troy and Glover Raised Victory Loan Quotas.

M. M. Taplin of Orleans, county chairman of the Victory loan reports splendid progress on the loan and is R. Moulton of Burlington, recently able to report five of the places in the county already "over the top." Orleans was the first place to re-

port its quota taken, in fact Orleans was the first place in New England to be officially reported as having raised its quota, a distinction of which that place and the loan chairman, C. V. Willey, may well be

Other places in the county who reported their quotas raised up to Wednesday morning are Irasburg, Morgan, Troy and Glover, and most of concern will be in the building near though some places were hindered on

official pledge cards. The town quotas and chairmen are given below, the starred places having already subscribed the full quota

as well as the Dort, is a county Barton, C. S. Webster..... 60,000 Charleston, Wm. Nelson ... 15,450 Craftsbury, F. T. Hadley ... 14,700 Coventry J. J. Labell ... 10,200 Derby, A. C. Cowles..... 63,750 \*Glover, R. E. Davis....... 13,200 Greensboro, Geo. C. Colby.... 15,300 \*Irasburg, F. M. Sears..... 15,000 3.900 Jay, ..... Lowell, W. A. Young ..... 12,600 \*Morgan, C. R. Durgin..... Newport City, Geo. F. Root. . 117,000 Newport Town, H. A. Bartlett 15,000 \*Troy, W. D. Miller ..... 4,500 North Troy, M. J. Blair... 27,750 Westfield, H. W. Burnham. 7,200 Westmore, Mrs. Alma Craig. 5,500 \*Orleans, Carl Willey ..... 45,000

> G. H. Katen has sold the Cohen house, so-called, on Cemetery hill to Mr. and Mrs. George Roy.

Mrs. William Clogston has returned from Franklin, N. H., where she The Afternoon Study club will has been spending the winter.

Mrs. F. D. Thompson is finishing her work in the bank in order to as-Miss Ollie Sheldon and Miss Clar- sist in Mr. Thompson's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Foss of West Glover spent Sunday with their par-Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Archibald ents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith. C. J. Derusha, who has been

ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. W. Redington, is recovering. town over the week-end, being called ence. here on business for the state.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Mil-very interestingly and to the point, dred Archibald entertained her Sun- on the Victory loan Sunday morning.

The meeting of the Woman's Lit-early in May to determine how much erary club was held with Mrs. E. R. livestock will be available to ship during the coming year. day school class of little people.

Al Devers of Everett, Mass., a second mate in the Merchant marine, is

Miss Grace McDonald of Barre stopping in town for several weeks. Mrs. A. E. Akley and son, Vernon, have been spending a week in Orleans with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Akley.

Burke is stopping for a time at the your alma mater. home of her daughter, Mrs. S. A.

M. H. Brunning. Mrs. H. J. Stannard spent the

week-end in town and attended the Easter concert Sunday evening at the Congregational church. Mrs. Cornelius Buckley and her sis-

ter, Miss Julia Durkin go to Boston tonight and will attend the parade of the 26th Division on Friday. Regular and annual meeting of flowers. Orient Chapter No. 13, O. E. S. on

Friday evening at 7.30. Installation of new officers after election. Beginning Monday, C. B. Stern-

for the past two or three seasons. Mrs. Lydia Milligan, Mrs. H. E. Paige and J. C. King were in Glover Monday to attend the funeral of their WANTED-To hire farm keeping sister and aunt, Mrs. Miranda Drew.

Mrs. Stella A. Goodro, D. D. P., was in Newport Friday evening to inspect the work of Morning Star Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F. Mr. Goodro accompanied her.

and her mother. Mrs. Smith, returned ler. WANTED-Men to solicit orders with her to spend the summer at C.

and Peggy went Saturday to Richburg, N. Y. F. L. Jarvis has moved to the Hub-

Mr. and Mrs. Blouin, who have liv-

Buswell, secretary and treasurer. It elected superintendent. was voted to conduct a lecture course

Thompson Made Supreme Court Re- WAR EXHIBIT TRAINSATURDAY porter.

Frank D. Thompson of Barton has been appointed reporter of decisions for the supreme court of Vermont by the five justices of that court, of which Judge W. W. Miles of Barton elected a member of the superior court of the state. John W. Redmond of Newport was reporter before Mr. Moulton. The position is one of great responsibility and a position held at some time by a number of the

leading jurists of Vermont. Mr. Thompson came to Barton in 1906 from St. Johnsbury, where he had practiced law from his admittance to the bar in 1899. Since coming to Barton he has been judge of the Orleans county municipal court, and is now state's attorney for Orthe other towns report good progress, though some places were hindered on son of the late Judge L. H. Thompson is the son of Irasburg, in which town Frank was born in 1876.

## 60 60 60 Telephone Troubles Ended.

The telephone strike which started n Boston the first of last week. pread over nearly all of New Enrland, at last reaching the old Passumpsic division, where the trouble nen and linemen went out Thursday

n the entire district. Operations in only five of the 19 exchanges in the territory formerly occupied by the Passumpsic territory vent out on strike. These five exhanges and the time of the cessation of service were as follows:

Island Pond and Norton at 7 a. m. Newport at 7 a. m. Saturday. St. Johnsbury at 6 p. m. Saturday. Lyndonville at 9 p. m. Saturday. The strike was settled Sunday night and operators and men return-

## ed to their work Monday morning. Methodist Episcopal Church Notes

Rev. M. A. Turner, Pastor Sunday, April 27th Morning worship at 10.45. Sunday school, 12.00. Junior League at 4 p. m.

Epworth League, 6.30. Evening service, 7.30. Thursday evening prayer meeting

at 7.30 o'clock. A string quartet consisting of F. Potter, C. L. Hutchins and C. S. Webster assisted Dr. E. L. Miller of Newport was in ing to the great pleasure of the audi-

C. S. Webster spoke briefly, but to Akron in the near future.

Levi Frechette is finishing work in the bank and will be employed in the Crystal Lake garage this summer.

In this place. Women who are help-life. Subject, "Great Men of the Present Day." Roll call, "Patriotic Quotations." Paper, "Politicians," and Miss Doty Potter.

The annual business meeting of the Alumni association of Barton acad- Wilso, was given by Mrs. Cook. A to test any samples of soils which emy will be held in the domestic science room at the school building tonight, Wednesday evening, Apr. meeting. 23, at 7.30 o'clock. Come to this Mrs. Abbie Humphrey of West meeting and show your loyalty to Barton Tuesday for Whallonsburg,

Jesse R. Christie and Miss Della Bliss, both of this town, were united Miss Esther Brunning of Spring- in marriage Wednesday forenoon at field, Mass., has been spending a few the Congregational parsonage by the days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rev. W. A. Warner. They have gone to Cabot for a few days and will be at home to their friends at their home on the Glover road after May 1st.

Monitor to thank the many friends graduate with the senior class of who contributed the sum of money which he is president. given me during my illness, also to the Peerless Co. and Peerless friends Clark, formerly of Glover and assis-

Mrs. Ollie McGorty.

A chimney fire in the house of W. M. Wright on Park street Wednesday of the military company from Genmorning caused considerable damage eva. The leading poem is "The her daughter in New Jersey for the berg will make his daily Greensboro to the roof and the alarm called out Bend-Barton auto trip as he has done the fire companies but Mr. Wright had succeeded in getting the blaze writes Mr. Clark, "Geneva is a fine under control and the firemen used no water. Little or no damage to the for a couple of terms is no small honcontents of the house was suffered.

Lodge No. 55, F. & A. M., Friday highest executive for a decade." evening, the following officers were elected: H. R. Barron, W. M.; C. E. Hamblet, S. W.; M. W. Johnson, J. W.: C. H. Blood, Sec., F. D. Pierce, Treas .; F. A. Hunt, S. D.; Harry Mrs. Cora Wakeman attended the Connor, J. D.; W. J. Cooper, S. S.; B. minstrel show at Newport Tuesday J. Jackman, J. S.; F. G. Burdick, ty-

At the adjourned meeting of the Barton Independent Telephone com-Mrs. H. M. Gardiner and Mahlon pany held in the school building on Tuesday evening it was voted to auford to visit friends and will go from thorize Manager H. T. Seaver, to there to their new home in Whallons- draw up a contract between this com- ter, Marguerite, left Thursday for pany and the Buckley independent Lowell, Mass., for a week's visit with company and present the same to an- friends and relatives. other meeting of the company to be held Tuesday evening for the approval of the stockholders of the com-

The following officers were elected Mr. and Mrs. Blouin, who have lived in F. S. Whitcher's tenement on come O. Brown cemetery association Main street will move to the Geo. held at the town clerk's office Tues-Katen tenement on High street the day evening: E. W. Barron, presi-28th of April. Mr. Blouin's shoe re-dent; A. S. Drew, vice president; F. TO RENT-First class tenement, pair shop will be located at his home. W. Baldwin, secretary and treasurer. at the Easter services Sunday. The adjourned annual meeting of The directors are E. W. Barron, J. N. the Barton Improvement club was Webster, A. P. Underwood, R. P. Webster was elected president; C. C. Webster, S. A. Hunt, F. W. Baldwin Cassidy, vice president; and A. W. and G. A. Katen. S. A. Hunt was re-

Harland E. Paige left Monday for here.

Four Cars of Captured German War Trophies Coming to Barton.

The government is sending a war exhibit train to Barton Saturday. It will be on the side track near the freight house from 10.15 to 12.15 on Saturday and everyone is invited to see the exhibit which will be entirely

The train will consist of three flat cars, one box car, and a tourist sleeper. It will be loaded with heavy guns, trench mortars, flame throwers, rifles, and a large variety of equipment taken from the enemy on the field of battle. On the train will be five military

guards, three railroad men and eight speakers and bond salesmen who will address the meetings held in connection with the train visit. bombs, one or more of which will be fired from one of the flat cars as the

approach. If you visit this free government war exhibit train you will see arms and ammunition, guns and projectiles big and little, trench mortars, hand grenades, gas masks, soldiers' clothing of various kinds, naval depth bombs for sea wolf submarines, and much else, all of which will be ex-

plained by experts. You will also see German trophies charge of F. J. Libby. right from the battlefields of France. captured by our fighting lads across

Don't miss this great exhibit which comes to Barton by special train in order that the people of this entire community may see for themselves something of the war which cannot be seen in any other way.

It is expected that the places of business in Barton will close from 10.15 to 1 o'clock in order that no one shall miss this interesting exhib-

south end of Orleans county should visit this wonderful exhibit. The train visits Orleans and Newport, the schedule being as follows: Friday, ar. Newport 7.40 o'clock p. m. Saturday, ls. Newport 7.30 a. m. Saturday Is. Orleans 10 a. m. Saturday ar. Barton, 10.15 a. m. Saturday ls. Barton, 12.15 p. m.

year ago, was employed as instructor was a good move and put themselves nearly \$40,000. in a government automobile mechanical school in Burlington for a time and has been in the Barton Savings Paul Longevin, chairman, L. R. Milwith the Easter music Sunday morn- Bank & Trust Co. for several months. | ler and Elmer Stetson. After the The position offers splendid oppor- meeting the Center committee and tunities. Mrs. Paige expects to go Westfield committee got together and

Cook on Wednesday evening, April during the coming year. Ada Webster, Mrs. Frances Seaver written by Miss Annie Wright and office in Newport. It will be possible ers," Miss Burgess; piano solo, "The lime is needed to sweeten up sour some speaker will be present. Chapel in the Mountains,"-G. D. soils. The county agent will be glad pleasant social hour followed the are sent in provided the men who

The H. M. Gardiner goods left N. Y., accompanied by Ross Wright. As a token of good will and esteem the employes of the Peerless factory where Mr. Gardiner has been foreman of the cutting room nearly five years, presented him with \$10 in gold. Mr. Gardiner was the first cutter in the local Peerless factory, but was away several years, returning about five years ago. Neil Gardiner will re-I wish through the columns of the main the school year out in order to

Several friends of William F. received copies of a booklet of about hoped for. 60 pages containing several war poems by Mr. Clark and a brief history Charge on the Hindenburg Line." Of this poem a prominent attorney or, but to have written this remarkable poem is to my mind far greater At the annual meeting of Orleans distinction than to serve as Geneva's

### 60 60 60 WILLOUGHBY

Mrs. J. G. Gammon and son, Israel, left Tuesday for East Sumner, Me. Mrs. Lena Drown of Beverly, Mass. week.

Miss Mamie Barney of Quincy, the last of the month. Mass., is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Fred Hemmings.

Mrs. Frank Kimball and daugh-

## BROWNINGTON

Lorenzo Grow is not quite as well Mrs. G. D. Burroughs was very

Mrs. Daggett from Michigan is visiting her son, Ray Heath. There were four babies christened

Mrs. J. B. Flint spent several days with friends in Newport last week. Mrs. Weeden from the Center spent a few days last week with friends

Akron. Ohio, to enter the employ of Mrs. Helen Dutton who has been S. Dodge, Orleans. Lw FOUND—Purse with small sum of Woman's Victory Loan organization Paige graduated from U. V. M. a few days in town.

FARM BUREAU NOTES

meeting at West Albany next Monday night. It was originally planned that several N. E. M. P. A. meetings should be held next week but as Mr. Currier cannot be present they will not be held. At this meeting in Albany, a program of work will be time to leave the house, saving few drawn up for the community. Every clothes and personal effects and little knows what is needed to improve saved. farming conditions. Why not get out | The fire companies responded and tackle problems right and organ-

ize a community Farm Bureau. There will be a meeting at North Troy, Wednesday night, April 30th, Troy, Wednesday night, April 30th, hotel, thereby saving the Seaver to discuss ways of town improve-building only 30 feet east of the ment. Prof. M. B. Cummings of Frontier house, the Regan building Burlington will discuss the seeding and care of lawns and other features and the hotel stables connected with

## agent will speak briefly. Bureau.

The farmers and housewives of train moves into town, heralding its Newport community have a Farm Bureau program in charge of a committee. This is the result of a meeting at the home of W. B. Heyer on discussed at this meeting and.com- Gilbert herself discovered the fire. munity problems brought to light. The program adopted was as follows: "Obtaining Better Short-Time Credit," in charge of A. E. True.

"Draining Our Low Land," "Boys' and Girls' Club Work," in "Making and Using Fireless Cookers," in charge of Mrs. H. F. John-

charge of Mrs. A. E. True. community Farm Bureau chairman that the fire originated in the switch Bureau secretary.

Westfield Organizes to Ship Livestock.

The Barton band will be out and asm of six Center farmers Saturday place until a few years ago, when B. every, man, woman and child in the night when they made the trip to B. Gilbert bought it. The hotel had Westfield to talk over the cooperative about 25 sleeping rooms and had had ers of that town. J. W. Lunna, hotel located upon this sight was chairman of the Center Livestock burned more than 50 years ago in a committee, took charge of the meet- serious fire. ing and briefly explained the object Saturday, ar. Orleans at 7.50 a. m. of this gathering. He then called on fire losses sustained by North Troy, record as in favor by electing the following committee to be in charge, discussed plans for running a survey

> Does Your Soil Need Lime? A soil testing apparatus has lately "Politicians," been installed at the Farm Bureau send in these samples will agree to try out lime on at lease one acre of Mrs. McFadyen were entertained at land. In other words, there is no use in testing samples of soil for men who are just curious to know "how Bureau office for assistance.

Pomona Grange at Brownington. for money and flowers sent me and tant judge of the Orleans county with the Brownington grange Thurs- it is sufficient to say that the entire

> Mrs. H. H. Day, who has been with winter, reutrned home Thursday.

and in the north part of the town last audience with the benediction. city and to be mayor of that city week with the same teachers as last Florence and Mildred Mack were in special mention.

> Newport one day last week to consult an occulist. Mrs. E. J. Caron is still in Randolph, caring for her son, Albert, who Sunday, and the burial was in the

as more comfortable. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Going expect was a visitor at Aaron Drown's last their son, Leon, who has been overseas since last July, to reach Boston,

BROWNINGTON CENTER

A. R. Drown has been visiting relatives and friends in Canada. Harvey Leonard of Barton visited Buck of Sutton, a brother, Norman,

day.

Mrs. E .A. Gallup has been at the village caring for Mrs. Arthur Davies the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Currier of

rier's the past week. Dr. Wells and Dr. Cleasby were in town Sunday and set the broken bone in Mrs. Sarah Weeden's hand. Mrs.

Fred Waterman is caring for her. Mrs. John Young received the sad news recently of the severe illness of chester, N. H. her aunt, Mrs. Betty Spencer with pneumonia, at the home of her daugh- tor Lapierre's house. ter, Mrs. Marshall Powers.

ing the winter in Charleston, died

HAS \$15,000 BLAZE

There will be a Farm Bureau North Troy Loses Frontier House by Fire Wednesday Morning.

Fire was discovered at 2.15 o'clock Wednesday morning in the hallway of the Frontier House in North Troy. The employes and guests had scarcely live farmer should be there. He of the furniture of the hotel was

promptly to the alarm and played six streams of water upon the blazing building, confining the flames to the only about 30 feet north of the hotel for cleaning up a town. The county the hotel by an ice house. There was absolutely no wind or the damage The train will carry 250 aerial Newport Organizes Community Farm might have been much greater and spread to the above-named buildings.

The loss is estimated at about \$15,-000 with \$6,000 of insurance. The Frontier House was owned and operated by Mrs. B. B. Gilbert, Mr. Gilbert having died a few years ago as April 18th. Farm Bureau work was a result of accidental burning. Mrs.

On Tuesday evening a final rehearsal for the North Troy high school operetta, "Pauline," had been held in Frontier hall, located in the hotel building and having a seating capacity of about 300, where the entertainment was to have been held Wednesday evening and repeated on Friday evening. When the artists left the hall the smell of smoke was detected but thorough search failed to C. W. Richmond was appointed as reveal any fire. It is thought now and Mrs. A. E. True community Farm box in the hallway and had been

smouldering for some hours. The Frontier House was a threestory building erected in 1869 by Guy Chaplin, who ran the hotel but a few Mud will sometimes hold up busi- years when the property was sold to ness but it failed to stop the enthusi- C. A. Ramsdell, who operated the shipping of livestock with the farm- a good business in recent years. A

The fire adds one more to the big P. S. Niles and E. N. Connal for fur- the last one being on December 29, ther discussion. The county agent 1916, when the Seaver block, the and J. E. Carrigan of Burlington Kelley block and the Griggs building spoke briefly. The Westfield farm-ers expressed the opinion that this al stocks of goods, the loss being

> Congregational Church Notes. Sunday, April 27th

10.45, Morning service.

12.00, Sunday school. 6.30, Christian Endeavor meeting. 7.30, Evening service.

ing on Thursday evening at 7.30. The pulpit supply for Sunday is read by Miss Butler; paper, "Writ- to tell with this apparatus how much not yet known but it is quite certain Prof. J. D. McFadyen of Stan-

stead college preached an Easter ser-

mon Sunday, making a very fine ex-

The regular mid-week prayer meet-

planation of the atonement. Mr. and the C. F. Cutler home on Park street. The Easter cantata Sunday evening their land tests." The Farm Bureau drew a crowded house, seats being stands for applied agriculture-hence brought into the rear of the church, the reason for asking that men who and the audience pronounced the muhave samples tested make some use sic especially fine. The chorus conof this information. Men who do not sisted of 13 voices and there were know how to take a soil sample solo numbers, a ladies' double quarshould get in touch with their com- tet unaccompanied, and duets. The munity leader, if there is one in their solo work of Mrs. Webster, Mrs. community. All others call Farm Wright, and Mr. Perley was especially pleasing and the duet by Mrs. Webster and Mrs. Wright has received great praise. Some pronounce the ladies' double quartet, unaccompan-Prospect Pomona Grange will meet | ied, as the climax of the cantata, but the Christian Endeavor society for court, but now of Geneva, N. Y., have day, May 1, and a full attendance is production has received the highest praise. Mr. Perley is deserving of much credit in his direction of its production. The four stringed in-

> The decorations Sunday were done by the Misses Doris and Ida Whitcher Mrs. E. S. Kelley and daughter, and Miss Bernice Ray and deserve

struments added much to the rendi-

tion of the cantata, Mr. McFadyen

offered prayer and read the scripture

School began in the village Monday and Rev. M. A. Turner dismissed the

Friday after an illness of a few days. The funeral was held at the church has been critically ill but is reported family lot in the cemetery here. Mr. Smith was born in Compton, P. Q., Sept. 15th, 1835 and came to Salem-Derby when a young man. He married Sarah Foster and came to Brownington where he has since made his home. Mrs. Smith died some 12 years ago and after har death, he sold the home farm and has boarded with friends. He leaves one son and a daughter, Mrs. Walter his aunt, Mrs. Thomas Smith, Sun- and a sister, who resides in Barton. He was a very quiet, unassuming man and will be missed by a large circle of friends. Mrs. Buck wishes to thank all the friends and neighbors, who assisted her in any way. Rev. Cook of Evansville officiated. Springfield, Mass., and Oscar Currier The sympathy of the community is of Orleans were guests at J. H. Cur- extended to the bereaved ones in their hour of sorrow.

## EVANSVILLE

Paul Randall is working for the Pike Mfg. Co. Hector Moore has gone to Man-

Darwin Wright is moving into Hec-Mrs. Angie Miles is recovering

Horace Smith, who has been spend- from her recent illness.

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